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ONE HUNDRED NINTH CALENDAR DAY
SIXTY-FIFTH SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber
Des Moines, Iowa, Thursday, April 30, 2015

The Senate met in regular session at 9:03 a.m., President Jochum presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Honorable Ken Rozenboom, member of the Senate from Mahaska County, Oskaloosa, Iowa, who sang “How Great Thou Art”, accompanied by his cousins Larry Rozenboom and Carol Houk; and his secretary Susan Geddes.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Senate Page Austin Allaire.

The Journal of Wednesday, April 29, 2015, was approved.

HOUSE MESSAGES RECEIVED AND CONSIDERED

The following messages were received from the Chief Clerk of the House:

MADAM PRESIDENT: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has on April 29, 2015, **amended and passed** the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

[Senate File 482](#), a bill for an act concerning social and charitable gambling and making penalties applicable. ([S-3147](#))

ALSO: That the House has on April 29, 2015, **amended** the Senate amendment, **concurred** in the Senate amendment as amended, **and passed** the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

[House File 534](#), a bill for an act relating to stipends for the mental health professional shortage area program. ([S-3146](#))

ALSO: That the House has on April 29, 2015, **passed** the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

[House File 650](#), a bill for an act relating to and making appropriations to state departments and agencies from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund and the revenue bonds capitals II fund, providing for related matters, and including effective date provisions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Appropriations**.

The Senate stood at ease at 9:41 a.m. until the fall of the gavel for the purpose of party caucuses.

The Senate resumed session at 10:07 a.m., President Jochum presiding.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Leaves of absence were granted as follows:

Senators Chelgren, Guth, Segebart, Zaun, and Zumbach, until they arrive, on request of Senator Dix.

CONFIRMATION OF GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENTS

In accordance with Senate Rule 59, Senator Gronstal called up the following eligible appointees on the En Bloc Confirmation Calendar:

Beverly Winkie, Commission on Aging

Roger Thomas, Health Facilities Council

Senator Gronstal moved that the foregoing appointees be confirmed by the Senate.

On the question "Shall the appointees be confirmed?" the vote was:

Yeas, 45:

Allen	Danielson	Johnson	Schultz
Anderson	Dearden	Kapucian	Seng
Behn	Dix	Kinney	Shipley
Bertrand	Dotzler	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Bisignano	Dvorsky	Mathis	Smith
Bolkcom	Feenstra	McCoy	Sodders

Bowman	Garrett	Petersen	Taylor
Brase	Gronstal	Quirnbach	Whitver
Breitbart	Hart	Ragan	Wilhelm
Chapman	Hogg	Rozenboom	
Costello	Horn	Schneider	
Courtney	Jochum	Schoenjahn	

Nays, none.

Absent, 5:

Chelgren	Segebart	Zumbach
Guth	Zaun	

The appointees, having received a two-thirds vote, were declared to have been confirmed by the Senate.

HOUSE AMENDMENT CONSIDERED

[Senate File 482](#)

Senator Gronstal called up for consideration [Senate File 482](#), a bill for an act concerning social and charitable gambling and making penalties applicable, amended by the House in House amendment [S-3147](#), filed April 30, 2015.

Senator Danielson moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment.

The motion prevailed by a voice vote and the Senate **concurred** in the House amendment.

Senator Danielson moved that the bill, as amended by the House and concurred in by the Senate, be read the last time now and placed upon its passage, which motion prevailed by voice vote, and the bill was read the last time.

On the question “Shall the bill pass?” ([S.F. 482](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 45:

Allen	Danielson	Johnson	Schultz
Anderson	Dearden	Kapucian	Seng
Behn	Dix	Kinney	Shipley
Bertrand	Dotzler	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Bisignano	Dvorsky	Mathis	Smith

Bolkcom	Feenstra	McCoy	Sodders
Bowman	Garrett	Petersen	Taylor
Brase	Gronstal	Quirmbach	Whitver
Breitbach	Hart	Ragan	Wilhelm
Chapman	Hogg	Rozenboom	
Costello	Horn	Schneider	
Courtney	Jochum	Schoenjahn	

Nays, none.

Absent, 5:

Chelgren	Segebart	Zumbach
Guth	Zaun	

The bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

IMMEDIATELY MESSAGED

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent that [Senate File 482](#) be **immediately messaged** to the House.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Gronstal, the Senate adjourned at 10:17 a.m. until 1:00 p.m., Monday, May 4, 2015.

APPENDIX

CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION

The Secretary of the Senate issued the following certificate of recognition:

Iowa Finance Authority—For celebrating their 40th anniversary. Senator Dvorsky.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS

WAYS AND MEANS

Convened: Thursday, April 30, 2015, 11:00 a.m.

Members Present: Bolkcom, Chair; Allen, Vice Chair; Feenstra, Ranking Member; Anderson, Behn, Breitbach, Dotzler, Hogg, Jochum, McCoy, Petersen, Quirmbach, Schultz, Seng, and Smith.

Members Absent: None.

Committee Business: Passed HF's 347, 617, 634, 638, and 640; and passed SSBs 1272 and 1273.

Adjourned: 12:20 p.m.

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE

Convened: Thursday, April 30, 2015, 10:20 a.m.

Members Present: Ragan, Chair; Bolkcom, Vice Chair; and Dvorsky.

Members Absent: Segebart, Ranking Member; and Johnson (both excused).

Committee Business: Discussed the Health and Human Services General Fund FY 2015 budget.

Adjourned: 10:45 a.m.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

[Senate File 501](#), by Gronstal, a bill for an act relating to interstate student tuition reciprocity agreements involving certain postsecondary educational institutions, creating a tuition refund fund, appropriating moneys from the fund, and including effective date provisions.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **Education**.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT

[House File 650](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: McCoy, Chair; Dvorsky and Kapucian

FINAL COMMITTEE REPORTS OF BILL ACTION

WAYS AND MEANS

Bill Title: [HOUSE FILE 617](#), a bill for an act providing for special vehicle registration plates displaying a decal designed and issued by a nonprofit organization, providing fees, making a penalty applicable, and including effective date provisions.

Recommendation: DO PASS.

Final Vote: Ayes, 14: Bolkcom, Allen, Feenstra, Anderson, Behn, Breitbach, Dotzler, Hogg, Jochum, McCoy, Petersen, Schultz, Seng, and Smith. Nays, 1: Quirmbach. Absent, none.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

ALSO:

Bill Title: [HOUSE FILE 634](#), a bill for an act providing for the department of agriculture and land stewardship's administration of certain functions, including by eliminating past dates relating to a determination of Iowa-foaled horse and to the rehabilitation and conservation of land affected by coal mining, providing for payment by the department for the examination of certain articles, allowing the department to adopt by reference certain federal publications affecting milk and milk products, modifying the definition of biobutanol, eliminating departmental duties and fees relating to weights and measures, providing for purchased-grain fees paid into the Iowa grain indemnity fund, and changing the name of the division of soil and water conservation and the name of its appointed administrative official.

Recommendation: DO PASS.

Final Vote: Ayes, 15: Bolkcom, Allen, Feenstra, Anderson, Behn, Breitbach, Dotzler, Hogg, Jochum, McCoy, Petersen, Quirmbach, Schultz, Seng, and Smith. Nays, none. Absent, none.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

ALSO:

Bill Title: [HOUSE FILE 638](#), a bill for an act concerning the reporting and payment of wine gallonage sales and taxes.

Recommendation: DO PASS.

Final Vote: Ayes, 15: Bolkcom, Allen, Feenstra, Anderson, Behn, Breitbach, Dotzler, Hogg, Jochum, McCoy, Petersen, Quirmbach, Schultz, Seng, and Smith. Nays, none. Absent, none.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

ALSO:

Bill Title: [HOUSE FILE 646](#), a bill for an act relating to the use of revenues resulting from the physical plant and equipment levy and including applicability provisions.

Recommendation: DO PASS.

Final Vote: Ayes, 15: Bolkcom, Allen, Feenstra, Anderson, Behn, Breitbach, Dotzler, Hogg, Jochum, McCoy, Petersen, Quirmbach, Schultz, Seng, and Smith. Nays, none. Absent, none.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

AMENDMENTS FILED

S-3146	H.F. 534	House
S-3147	S.F. 482	House
S-3148	H.F. 567	Steven J. Sodders
S-3149	H.F. 544	Joe Bolkom